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Phenix is making rapid progress towards becoming a business center of much importance. Its closeness to the best developed mining districts in the Territory, and the near approach of the Southern Pacific Railroad make it the best located town in Arizona as a base of supplies. Capitalists from other sections of Arizona and southern California are obtaining information about us with a view of investment. Our merchants are buying in larger stocks to meet the increasing demands. A bank, located in Los Angeles is thinking of establishing a branch here. It is something that is very much needed, and would yield a handsome return on the investment to the promoters of the enterprise; it would be a great accommodation to our business men, and be the means of retaining much money in town that is now sent away. The money order business of our postoffice, published from time to time to show that such an institution would be a success from the start. A gentleman, also from Los Angeles is in town and has in contemplation the building of a large hotel. This, also, would be a paying investment. The new ditch now being constructed by the Grand Canal Company will be finished in time to put in a crop next season. It will carry water sufficient to irrigate ten thousand acres—more land than the entire acreage this season. This will be the means of giving employment to a large population. Our fruit yield in the valley this season has been quite large, and found a ready market at good prices in the different towns and mining camps. The three flour mills are kept busy filling orders. The Golden Star Mining Company, at Cave Creek, is displaying much activity in the erection of a 10-stamp mill the business of this mining camp will be considerable in the next six months, and it will all center in Phenix. We are informed, from a reliable source, that work on a 40-stamp mill, in the same district, will be commenced inside of three months. Besides supplying several mining camps of lesser note, we have quite a trade with Tonto Basin, Sunflower valley, Camp McDowell, Tempe valley and Tiptop, all of which are steadily increasing. Taken all in all the future for Phenix has a very brilliant outlook.

#### RAILROADS FROM THE EAST.

The struggle of the different railroads to reach Arizona is getting more exciting every day. If the Southern Pacific Railroad commence extending their road eastward from Yuma shortly it will be in the vicinity of Maricopa Wells by next Christmas. But if Yuma should prove to be the terminus, it would only be a matter of a year before the two railroads now building through New Mexico will have entered our Territory. It is not generally known that these railroads are approaching Arizona at the rate of a mile a day. On the Denver and Rio Grande grading has been completed ten miles below Conchos, 40 south of Alamosa. Jay Gould, who is at the head of this movement, says he will reach Santa Fe by the first of next January. The Union Pacific has set apart a special fund of \$600,000 for this work. As this is a narrow gauge it can be cheaply and rapidly constructed. A party making a preliminary survey is expected to be in Clifton, Arizona, on the 15th inst. The Atchinson, Topeka and Santa Fe, the other road that is engaged in the race, leaves the Missouri river at Atchinson, run westwardly through the Arkansas valley to Pueblo, where it divides into two branches, one to penetrate the mineral fields of Colorado, the other through New Mexico to Arizona. This line will be completed to Santa Fe by next April, in the mean time a fleet line of stages will ply between that town and the terminus. The contractors, who have been working 400 men have received orders to put 300 more men to work immediately. The advance surveying party of this road has already reached Silver City, New Mexico. Another railroad that is being extended towards this Territory, but at present attracting very little attention, is the Utah Southern. At last accounts it was at St. George, but orders had been given some time previous to commence extending south. With five railroads pointing this way, we will soon be very well fixed.

#### CHINAMEN COMING TO WORK OUR MINES.

One of the managers of the Long-fellow Copper Mining Company is in San Francisco for the purpose of hiring Chinamen to work in that mine. Although the statement is made that they are intended for work that the Americans or Mexicans refuse we think, after they are thoroughly introduced, the whole affair will present a different appearance altogether. It is nothing more or less than the beginning of an attempt to work our mines by Chinese cheap labor.

#### THE Blue Store gives away Chromos.

The National Gold Medal was awarded to Bradley & Rulofsen, for the best photographs in the United States, and the Vienna Medal for the best in the world.

The recently appointed United States Marshal arrived a few days ago in Prescott, prepared to assume the duties of his office. He is a gentleman of pleasing manners and good address and has the appearance of promptitude and courage. Both of these qualities are absolutely necessary to the successful execution of the important duties of this office. If the pretensions of phenology are true, C. P. Duke will not only prove himself brave and decided but will evince a high order of executive ability generally. Mr. Duke hails from Michigan the former home of our Governor, during the war was an officer on the Union side. If we must have men appointed to fill our federal offices from outside the Territory we are thankful that men of apparent character and ability are being placed in these positions of trust and honor.

#### TELEGRAPHIC.

Special to the HERALD.  
St. Johns, August 9.  
Bishop Conroy, the apostolic delegate died last night.

INDIANAPOLIS, August 9.  
Hendricks opened the Democratic campaign here last night. He said on the result of the Senatorial elections in Indiana might hinge the political complexion of the next Senate. He declared the President had no Southern policy, that he was incapable of having any, but what he had done in the South the speaker approved as a good Democratic doctrine.

BOSTON, August 9.  
Kearney addressed a large crowd at Faneuil Hall, but said nothing new. He eulogized, almost, defined, Ben Butler.

PITTSBURGH, August 9.  
A terrible accident on the Pittsburgh, Cincinnati & St. Louis Railroad one and a half miles west of Mingo Junction. The passenger train collided with a freight train, 13 persons killed and 18 seriously injured.

RALEIGH, N. C., August 9.  
The Legislature stands 97 Democrats, 50 Republicans and 9 Independents, with 14 doubtful ones. The Senatorial aspirants agree to abide the action of the caucus.

BUFFALO, August 9.  
Rarus, with running mate, made third mile in 2:13 1/4, being the fastest time on record.

NASHVILLE, August 9.  
A mob broke open the jail at Franklin and hung a colored man charged with rape on a six-year old white girl.

CHARLESTON, August 9.  
The Democrats have made their nomination for Congress.

NEW YORK, August 9.  
The Sun's Washington correspondence on the possible nomination of Grant by the Republicans, says the scheme will require delicate political engineering. Money alone can furnish the driving power, which the knowing ones aver is to be forthcoming from Nevada and California Silver and Railroad Kings, Mackey, Jones, Sharon, Hayward, Stanford, Crocker, and others. Once they get him in the White House they intend keeping him there.

LONDON, August 9.  
The fever in Cyprus is alarmingly prevalent, 40 in one regiment attacked. A Peru dispatch says the insurgents will resist to the last moment the enforcement of the provisions of the Berlin Congress.

The News has an unconfirmed rumor of the assassination of Bismarck.

PARIS, August 9.  
The Constitution announces that a marriage has been arranged between Prince Napoleon, son of Napoleon III, and Princess Thyra, daughter of the King of Denmark.

WASHINGTON, August 9.  
Installments on the Mexican Claims awards will be paid to claimants at the State Department September 5th. John P. Hoyt has been appointed Governor of Idaho.

San Francisco, August 9.  
Burglars entered the office of the Odd Fellows relief committee and robbed the safe of fourteen hundred dollars.

CHARLES G. MASON died at the Grand Hotel San Francisco, about 1 o'clock on the morning of July 29th. He died suddenly, of supposed heart disease. From the Sentinel we obtain the following: Mason was the first farmer on the Gila, near where Florence now stands. He went there nearly fourteen years ago, and fought off Apaches as gallantly as any of Arizona's pioneers. He was one of the discoverers of the famous Silver King mine; and he acquired a full half interest in it, which he sold to Col. James M. Barney for \$300,000. At the time of his death he was improving a fine residence tract of 17 acres in the city of Los Angeles. He left a wife but no children. He was a native of Maine and possessed the industry and enterprise characterizing the people of that State, together with the big-hearted generosity developed by frontier life.

From a private letter we learn that a mass meeting of the citizens of McMillenville was held on the 27th ult., for the purpose of nominating candidates for the office of Assemblyman and Supervisor, also Precinct officers. W. P. Woods was chosen as President and E. L. Cummings Secretary. A. T. Jones was nominated for the Assembly, and J. H. Lively for Supervisor, John M. Jones and G. L. Turner Sr., for Justice of the Peace for Richmond Precinct, and Wm. Murphy and T. T. Overton for Constables. J. H. Lively and E. F. Gleason were elected Delegates to meet with the county conventions at Phenix. The following resolutions were offered and unanimously adopted. 1st Resolved, that the spirit of this meeting is strictly Non-Partisan; 2nd, That the Delegates elected to meet with the conventions at Phenix be instructed to confer with both conventions as Non-Partisans; 3rd, That the proceedings of the meeting be published in The

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